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1 28 LSB 2571YH 83 1 29 tw/rj/8

HOUSE FILE BY H. MILLER Passed House, Date _____ Passed Senate, Date _____ Vote: Ayes ____ Nays ____ Nays ____ A BILL FOR 1 An Act relating to local government development activities in cultural and entertainment districts. 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA: 4 TLSB 2571YH 83 5 tw/rj/8PAG LIN 1 Section 1. Section 303.3B, Code 2009, is amended by adding 2 the following new subsection: <u>NEW SUBSECTION</u>. 4. Cities or counties may encourage 4 development projects and activities in cultural and 1 5 entertainment districts through any of the following: a. Promoting unique forms of transportation between the 7 district and recreational trails, including modes of 8 transportation for people who do not drive.
9 b. Facilitating the placement of road signs that are 1 1 10 easier to read, grooved land dividers, reflective road
1 11 markings, and dedicated left turn lanes.
1 12 c. Promoting recreational facilities and fitness programs 1 13 for different age groups. 1 14 d. Sponsoring programs for nutrition education and the 1 15 delivery of meals to people's homes. e. Developing programs related to preventive health care, 1 16 1 17 healthy lifestyle education, immunizations, injury screenings, 1 18 and the onset of chronic diseases. 1 19 f. Lowering property tax rates. g. Developing any other local incentive that attracts 1 20 1 21 seniors and creative people to live and work in a cultural 1 22 entertainment district. EXPLANATION This bill allows local governments to encourage development 1 24 25 projects and activities in cultural and entertainment 1 26 districts in order to attract seniors and creative people to 1 27 live and work in a cultural and entertainment district.